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Election Pursuant to Restriction Requirement

This is a response to the outstanding Office Action dated November 13, 2006.

Applicants hereby elect the invention of Group I, claims 1 and 3-13, for prosecution in this case. Claim 2 is reserved for filing in a future application.

Respectfully submitted,

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